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Applicant: Timothy A. Stewart, et al.
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**Title: FIBROBLAST GROWTH FACTOR-19 (FGF-19) NUCLEIC ACIDS AND
POLYPEPTIDES AND METHODS OF USE FOR THE TREATMENT OF OBESITY**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME, (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2005 for two (2) month(s) from June 24, 2005 to August 24, 2005. The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. **A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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